



# Newsletter

18<sup>th</sup> May 2018

Green Lane Primary Academy / Ribblesdale Avenue / Garforth / Leeds / LS25 2JX

## Royal Wedding Picnic

Thank you to everyone who joined us for a picnic lunch to celebrate the Royal Wedding today – we were very thankful that the weather was on our side. Everyone had a lovely time and it was so nice to all be together.

## Walk to School Week

It is national walk to school week next week – please encourage your children to walk to school next week (or part of the way). We are always trying to encourage our children to remain fit and healthy.

## Year 5 & 6 Performance

Due to transition days for the various secondary schools, we have changed the date of the show on the diary dates. A letter will follow in due course for you to request tickets.

## Nut Allergies

We have a number of children and staff with nut allergies, for whom touching nuts and products containing nuts can cause severe reactions. For this reason, we ask that no nuts are brought in to school or put in packed lunches, this includes:

- Fruit and cereal bars containing nuts
- Chocolate bars or sweets that contain nuts
- Sesame seed rolls (children allergic to nuts may also have a severe reaction to sesame)
  - Nutella / Nutella products
    - Peanut butter
    - Cakes made with nuts
      - Museli bars
      - Baklava

## Lower Key Stage Two Football

This week, it was the LKS2 Garforth Schools Football Tournament under glorious blue sky. The boys played with tremendous determination, growing in confidence as the tournament progressed.

Green Lane A were undefeated in their four games, thanks in part to some solid defending, and came second in their league. Green Lane B were very determined and put their all into their matches. Well done to everyone who took part.



## Diary Dates

### Parent Partnership- Parents are invited

*Note: Activities, times and dates are subject to change. Up-to-date information will be confirmed on the weekly newsletters.*

DATE	Activity
W/C Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Key Stage 1 SATs continue (tests will be completed by 24 <sup>th</sup> May)
W/C Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Walk to School Week
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Spelling Shed Parents' Session 4.30pm
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Let's try .... golf! 9.15am – 10am for Year 1 & 2 parents and children
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Poplar Class Assembly 2.30pm
W/C Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> May – 1 week	Half Term Holidays Academy Closed
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Return from Half Term
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June until Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Residential
W/C 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 1 Phonics Tests
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June	GLPA Choir Big Sing Performance
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Hazel Class Assembly 2.30pm
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Book Fair (more details to follow)
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling Open Lesson for Parents 9.15am
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Willow Class Assembly 2.30pm
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Chestnut Class Assembly 2.30pm
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Elm Class Assembly 2.30pm
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Relationship Education Parents' Session 5pm
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Beech Class Assembly 2.30pm
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Junior Sports Day 1pm
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Infant Sports Day 1pm
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Cherry Class Assembly 2.30pm
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Rowan Class Assembly 2.30pm
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 & 6 Dress Rehearsal 2pm (parents of pre-school children only)
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 5 & 6 Performance 9.30am & 2pm
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Year Music Concert 6pm
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Pear Class Assembly 2.30pm
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	FOGL Summer Fair
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly 2pm



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## Green Lane Vacancy

Are you interested in working with children? Would you enjoy supporting children at playtime?

We are currently looking for an enthusiastic individual to join our lunchtime team for one hour per day, five days per week. The role may include supervising and helping children in the dining hall or supporting them outside in the playground.

If you would like to know more please speak with the office.

## Green Lane Leadership

If you have any questions or queries in the first instance, please see your child's class teacher or Mrs Hector who is usually on the playground before and after the academy day. If, after speaking to an the class teacher, you require to speak to a Senior Leader, then Mrs Carlisle, Mrs Coles, Miss Egan, Mr Brakefield or Miss Revelev will be more than happy to help you.

## Leeds Library Service

The Leeds Library Service often run a variety of events and activities and tickets can be purchased via

<https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/leedslibraryevents>

Although the David Walliams event is sold out, there do appear to be some tickets left for:

Cressida Cowell: The Wizards of Once and How to Train Your Dragon - 11.30am

The winner of the 2017 Hay Festival Medal for Fiction returns to launch the paperback of her new book. Best known for her world-conquering How to Train Your Dragon series, Cressida will talk about her inspiration, give tips on becoming an author or illustrator, and share amazing behind-the-scenes details about how the Dragon books became films.

There is a new summer three week menu cycle. Allergen lists will be added to our website but please contact the office if you would like any information in the meantime.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Dish	<b>Cheesy Pizza Bianca</b> with jacket wedges	<b>Creamy Chicken Curry</b> with rice	<b>Honey Roast Gammon</b> with roast potatoes & gravy	<b>Pasta Bolognaise</b>	<b>Salmon Fish Fingers &amp; Chips</b>
Vegetarian	<b>Vegetarian Bolognaise</b>	<b>Quorn Frankfurter Pasta Bake</b>	<b>Country Vegetable Pie</b> with gravy	<b>Wild Potato &amp; Chickpea Curry</b> with rice	<b>Bean &amp; Pepper Fajita</b> with chips
Deli Bar	Baked Jacket Potatoes with a Choice of Fillings				
Vegetables	<b>Peas Apple Slaw</b>	<b>Carrots Broccoli</b>	<b>Seasonal Cabbage Sweetcorn</b>	<b>Roasted Mediterranean Vegetables Green Beans</b>	<b>Baked Beans Peas</b>
Desserts	<b>Mango Fro Yoghurt</b>	<b>Peach Crumble</b> with custard	<b>Wedges of Pear, Apple &amp; Orange</b>	<b>Chocolate and Gingerbread Bite</b>	<b>Strawberry Cheesecake</b>

Our menus run on a three-weekly cycle. For details of the other menus on offer and full allergen information please see our website.

([http://glpa.org.uk/Academy\\_Meals](http://glpa.org.uk/Academy_Meals))

Infant children receive a free piece of fruit each day as part of the government School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme. For children in years three to six we run a healthy tuck shop at morning break. Children can buy fruit and vegetables for 20p each day.



Please Note: Dinners for children in Year 3 – 6 cost £2.15 per day and can be paid by ParentPay or by cheques made payable to Green Lane Primary Academy. We always strive to improve our dinners. We welcome your comments about last week's menu. Please email [info@glpa.org.uk](mailto:info@glpa.org.uk).

Green Lane Primary Academy reserves the right to substitute menu items.